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In re Application of H. Andrew STRONG et al.			
Application Number 10/072,215		Filed February 6, 2002	
For METHOD TO PREVENT VISION LOSS			
Art Unit 1614		Examiner Z. Fay	

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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☒ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

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☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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